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## **UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL LETTER**

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Sir:

Enclosed for filing is an [X] original patent application or, [] a continuation-in-part patent application, by inventor(s) \_\_\_\_\_\_ Josephus C. Ebergen, Danny Cohen, entitled \_\_\_METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR REGULATING COMMUNICATIONS BETWEEN MULTIPLE TRANSMITTERS AND RECEIVERS.

No. of pages in Application: 22; No. of Claims: 20.

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Also en	closed a	re:
	[]	a claim for foreign priority under 35 U.S.C. §§ 119 and/or 365 in
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	[X]	Request and Certification under 35 U.S.C. 122 (b)(2)(B)(i);
	[]	a certified copy of the priority document;
	[]	an Associate Power of Attorney;
	[]	verified statement(s) claiming small entity status;
	[X]	a Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney of the inventors(s);
	[]	a signed Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney of the inventors will follow;
	[X]	an Assignment document and form PTO-1595;
	[]	a Power of Attorney by Assignee; and
	[X]	Information Disclosure Statement and Form PTO-1449 with one reference.

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Total Claims	20	MINUS 20	0	\$18.00=	\$0.00	
Independent Claims	3	MINUS 3 =	0	\$86.00=	\$0.00	
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First Named Inventor		Jo Ebergen et al.			
Title	METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR REGULATING COMMUNICATIONS BETWEEN MULTIPLE TRANSMITTERS AND RECEIVERS				
Attorney [	Docket Number	SUN-P9550-SPL			

I hereby certify that the invention disclosed in the attached application **has not and will not be** the subject of an application filed in another country, or under a multilateral agreement, that requires publication at eighteen months after filing. I hereby request that the attached application not be published under 35 U.S.C. 122(b).

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